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- Virginia Crime Board Awards Local Law Enforcement \$1.6 Million for New License Plate Readers
- On National Police Week, Lawmaker Re-Introduces Legislation to Protect Officers
- House Passes Bill to Deport Immigrants Convicted of Assaulting Police
- Bipartisan Invest to Protect Act Aims to Increase Funding for Police Departments
- Hampton Mayor, Interim Police Chief Discuss Uptick in Violence

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Vehicle Ramming Mitigation Resources

CISA's Vehicle Ramming Self-Assessment Tool was developed in partnership with the Chicago Police Department to assist critical infrastructure owners and operators and federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies with evaluating areas of interest against the risk of a vehicle-ramming style of attack. It's a web-based resource comprised of a series of simple questions that evaluate various components of a facility to assess potential vulnerabilities to a vehicle ramming attack. Based on responses, the tool provides recommended actions to reduce risk; it also includes access to a multitude of informational resources.

Resource | First Responder's Toolbox

Complex Operating Environment—Electric Grid

The US energy sector consists of three interrelated segments: electricity, oil, and natural gas. The reliance of virtually all industries on electric power and fuels means that all sectors have some dependence on the energy sector. Information sharing is key to ensuring the protection of the national electrical infrastructure (electric grid) since the majority of it is privately owned.

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